

The marked up version of this portion of the specification can be found at the end of the instant preliminary amendment.

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-13 have been canceled, without prejudice.

The following new claims has been added:

52. (New) A mirror assembly for a vehicle comprising:

a mirror housing;

at least one reflective element including a dampener member; and

a backing assembly supported by the mirror housing, the backing assembly supporting the at least one first reflective element, the backing assembly including an area defining an aperture formed therein, the aperture having at least one biasable member formed thereon, the dampener member operable to frictionally engage the at least one biasable member.

53. (New) The mirror assembly of claim 52 wherein the backing assembly further comprises:

a first wall;

a second wall opposing the first wall; and

a hinge interconnecting the first and second walls, the hinge being flexible to enable adjustment of a relative position between the first and second walls.